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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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For: ELECTRIC POWER STEERING APPARATUS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 AND APPLICANTS' INTERVIEW  
SUMMARY RECORD**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Claims 1, 3-10, 12-15, 17-18, and 20-32 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Claims 1, 4-8, 10, 12-13, 17, 20, 23, 26-29, and 31-32 are amended to more clearly define the invention. Claims 1, 8, 12, 20, and 29 are independent.